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Hon. Naomi Reice Buchwald, U.S.D.J.
United States District Court
for the Southern District of New York
Daniel Patrick Moynihan U.S. Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: *Caiola v. Maisonneuve*, No. 1:18-cv-11646-NRB

Dear Judge Buchwald:

This firm represents plaintiff Benedict Caiola in the above captioned matter. We write to inform the Court of the status of related case *Maisonneuve v. Caiola*, 2:18-cv-13955-JMV-MF (D.N.J.).

On March 18, 2019, Honorable Judge Vasquez granted Mr. Caiola's motion to transfer the related case and ordered the case be transferred to the Southern District of New York. A copy of that order is attached as Exhibit A to this letter.

As a result, Mr. Caiola respectfully requests that the Court lift the stay in 1:18-cv-11646-NRB.

Sincerely,

/s/ Robert A. Whitman

Robert A. Whitman

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